

# Hardcover Nonfiction Bestsellers

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+ = owned by library

No.	Title	Weeks on List
1.	<a href="#"><u>David and Goliath</u></a> by Malcolm Gladwell. Insightful anecdotes illustrate how underdogs and misfits gained advantage through adversity. +	2
2.	<b>I am Malala</b> by Malala Yousafzai. The story of the 15 year old Pakistani girl shot by the Taliban for standing up for her right to an education.	1
3.	<a href="#"><u>Killing Jesus</u></a> by Bill O'Reilly & Martin Dugard. The background of the life of Christ and events leading to his death. +	3
4.	<b>One Summer: America, 1927</b> by Bill Bryson. A look back at the year Charles Lindbergh crossed the Atlantic, Babe Ruth broke his home run record and other historical events that transpired that summer. +	1
5.	<a href="#"><u>Still Foolin' Em</u></a> by Billy Crystal. The comedian looks back at his life, career and the absurd challenges of turning 65. +	5
6.	<a href="#"><u>Zealot</u></a> by Reza Aslan. The religion scholar examines the life of Jesus during 1 <sup>st</sup> century Palestine. +	13
7.	<a href="#"><u>Break Out!</u></a> By Joel Osteen. Practical steps for overcoming barriers to live a life without limitations. +	2
8.	<b>My Story, Elizabeth Smart</b> by Chris Stewart. A memoir from the 14 year old Utah girl, kidnapped from her home by an itinerant street preacher a decade ago.	1
9.	<b>Levels of Life</b> by Julian Barnes. An intimate discourse on love, death and the on-going grief over the death of the author's wife in 2008.	3
10.	<b>Empty Mansions</b> by Bill Dedman. A portrait of the mysterious and reclusive heiress of the Gilded Age, Huguette Clark.	5

